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COUNTRY Soviet Zone of Germany

REPORT NO. [REDACTED]

TOPIC Military Information from Burg

EVALUATION 25X1X

PLACE OBTAINED [REDACTED]

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DATE OF CONTENT [REDACTED] 25X1A

DATE OBTAINED [REDACTED] DATE PREPARED 14 October 1950

REFERENCES 25X1A [REDACTED]

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REMARKS [REDACTED]

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25X1A 1. On [REDACTED] residents of Burg (M 53/Y 61) said that 300 recruits had arrived at the post about four weeks before. A hundred of the recruits allegedly moved to the barracks installation on August Bebelstrasse and 200 to the billeting area on Zerbsterchaussee.

2. Gate guards at the barracks on August Bebelstrasse wore red-bordered black epaulets. The troops from the installation were still away at a troop training grounds. A lieutenant colonel wearing tank insignia was observed leaving the billeting area. Eight groups of 10 to 12 men were seen drilling in the barracks yard.

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3. Gate guards at the barracks installation on Zerbsterchaussee wore red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia. Most of the units from the billeting area were still at a troop training grounds. Eight-man crews practicing with two AT guns of about 30 mm caliber and 10 groups of 10 to 12 men at drill were observed in the billeting area.

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4. The sentry in front of the ammunition dump on the road to Niegripp wore tank insignia. There was no motor traffic.

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\* [REDACTED] Comment. The report indicates that the bulk of the 136th Gds Div Tank SP Regt of the Third Shock Army from the installation was still at Letzling Heath on [REDACTED] See [REDACTED] 25X1A

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\*\* [REDACTED] Comment. Besides elements of the 207th Mtz Rifle Div, artillery or AT units of either the Third Shock Army or the IV Arty Corps and elements of the unidentified AAA Div of the GOFG, possibly the 32d AAA Div, are believed to be stationed in the barracks on Zerbsterchaussee. See [REDACTED]

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Subject report indicates that most of these units were absent from the post on [REDACTED] the artillery units probably at Altengrabow and the AAA units on the Wustrow Peninsula.

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